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**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN
APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)****Title of Invention****Durable Press Cellulosic Fibrous Substrates with Improved Physical Properties**

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

- ☒ The attached application, or
- ☐ Application No. _____, filed on _____,
- ☐ as amended on _____ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/ we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

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☐ Additional inventors or a legal representative are being named _____ additional form(s) attached hereto.

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AND POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE**

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Sir:

The undersigned, being Assignee of record in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment previously recorded, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

The Assignment, recorded on 07/25/2002 at reel/frame 013124/0295, has been reviewed by the undersigned pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.73. The undersigned certifies that to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title remains in the Assignee.

Assignee hereby appoints the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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